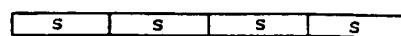


FIGURE 1

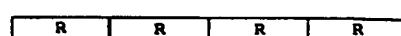
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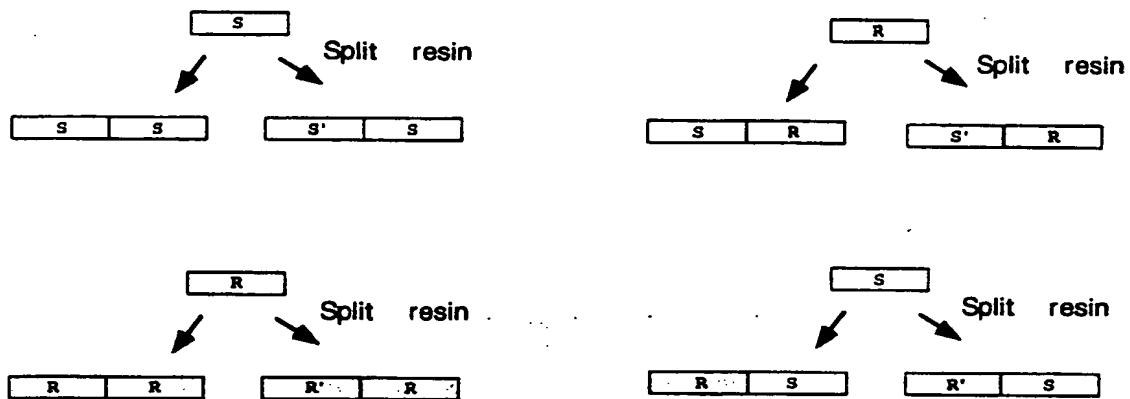
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RANTES

8x N-terminal modules



4x C-terminal modules



Ligation at Xxx-Cys bond to generate hybrid molecule

*NCL=native chemical ligation

S'=-Pro & R=+Pro

FIGURE 2

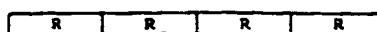
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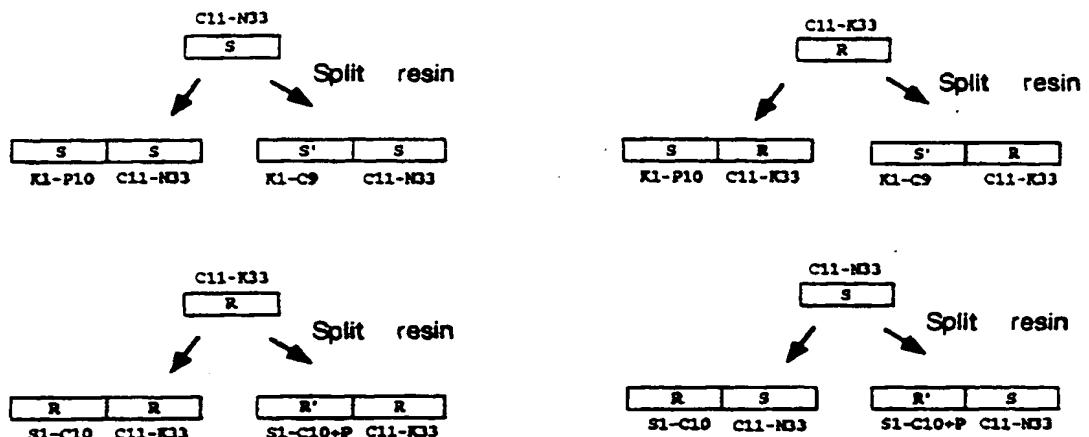
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FIGURE 3

CHEMOKINE PATTERNS AND MPBV
 The two amino acids preceding the central cysteine are evaluated when designing improved agonists or antagonists.
 MPBV* (vMIP-I or vMIP-II)

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RANTES	S	P	Y	S	S	D	T	T	P	C	C	FA	Y	I	A	R	P	L	P	R	A	H	I
SDF1	K	P	V	S	L	S	Y	R	C	P	C	R	F	F	E	S	H	V	A	R	A	N	V
MPBV*	G	A	S	W	H	R	P	D	K	C	C	LG	Y	Q	K	R	P	L	P	Q	VL	L	
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RANTES	K	E	Y	F	Y	T	S	G	K	C	S	N	P	A	V	V	F	V	T	R		K	
SDF1	K	L	H	K	I	L	N	T	P	N	C	A	L		Q	I	V	A	R	L	K	N	N
MPBV*	S	S	W	Y	P	T	S	Q	L	C	S	K	P	G	V	I	F	L	T	K	R	R	
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RANTES	N	R	Q	V	C	A	N	P	E	K	W	V	R	E	Y	I	N	S	L	E	M	S	
SDF1	N	R	Q	V	C	I	D	P	K	L	K	W	I	Q	E	Y	L	E	K	A	L	N	
MPBV*	G	R	Q	V	C	A	D	K	S	K	D	W	V	K	K	L	M	Q	Q	L	P	V	T
																	*	*					

* = Hydrophobic core side chains, highly conserved.

Bolded positions indicate conservation between all 3 or (MPBV and another).

↑ = Unique position, MPBV matches neither RANTES nor SDF1α.

All three N-terminii are unique. Likewise the two positions before the central cysteine are unique.

FIGURE 4

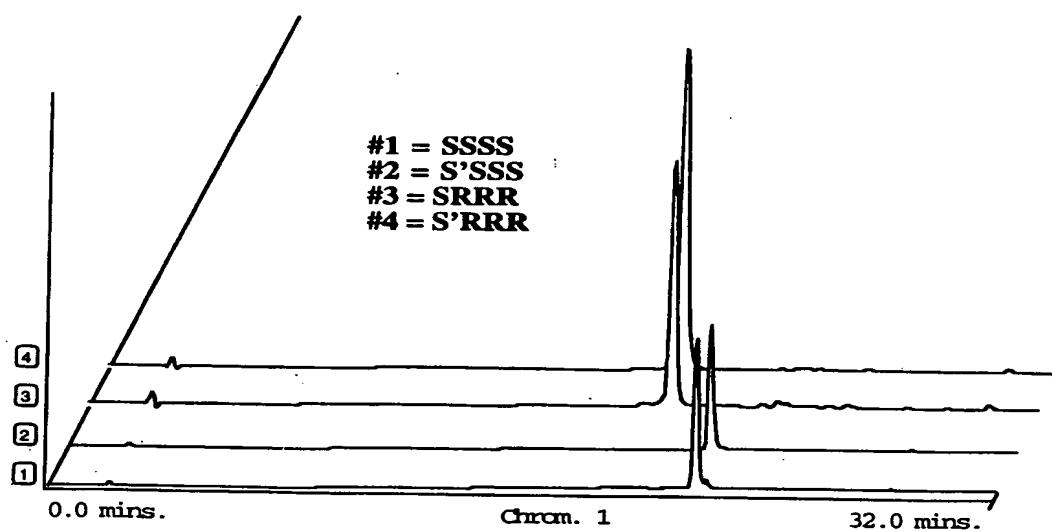


FIGURE 5

